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RE: US Patent Application No. 09/386,734
 METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR LOW TEMPERATURE
 ANNEALING OF METALLIZATION MICRO-
 STRUCTURES IN THE PRODUCTION OF A
 MICROELECTRONIC DEVICE

OUR REFERENCE: SEMT-1-16048

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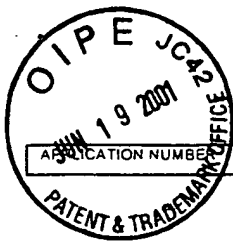
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION (CPA)
Filing Date Granted

The Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) request filed on 3/28/01 is entitled to a filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(d)(1). The CPA request, however, lacks the filing fee(s) and/or items indicated below.

Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE** within which to file the fee(s), item(s), and any surcharge required below to avoid abandonment of this CPA. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The total amount owed by applicant is the sum of items 1(a) or (b), 2, and 3 (if checked) below.

☒ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

- ☒ missing.
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(a) Applicant must submit \$ 710 - to complete the basic filing fee and the \$130.00 surcharge set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) (non-small entity), or \$ 355 - to complete the basic filing fee as a small entity and the \$65.00 surcharge set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) and file a small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27 claiming such status (if the prior application was entitled to small entity status and such status is still proper and desired, a new small entity statement is not required (37 CFR 1.28)).

(b) Applicant must submit \$ _____ to complete the basic filing fee as a small entity and the \$65.00 surcharge set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e).

☐ 2. Additional claim fees of

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Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.

☐ 3. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).

☐ 4. The CPA request is unsigned. Applicant must file a signed duplicate or ratification of the CPA request.

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Applicants: T.L. Ritzdorf et al. Attorney Docket No.: SEMT116048
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- X 3. Amendment.

COMPUTATION OF FEE

	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate		
Basic Fee							710
Total Claims	14 - 20	=	0	x	18	=	0
Independent Claims	5 - 3	=	2	x	80	=	160
Multiple Dependent Claim Surcharge				+	130		130
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